# **GREAT ACTOR** IRVING DEAD

Great Loss to English-speaking World-Sir Henry Was Preparing to Make a Final Tour to the United

lish actor of contemporary times.

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## Intended to Tour United States.

Washington, Oct. 14 .- "Sir Henry Ir-Washington, Oct. 14.—"Sir Henry Irving was looking forward with much enthusiasm to his coming tour of the United States," said Charles Frohman, his American manager, last night. "He liked the Americans and had many friends among them. It was Mr. Irving's intention to come to the United States probably two months in advance of the time for the opening of his season in the later part of next October and just spend the time in visiting among them. His season was to cover a period of 20 playing weeks, extending over a large

# GOVERNOR NAMES DELGATES.

### Fifteen Men to Represent Vermont at Mining Congress.

St. Johnsbury, Oct. 14.—Governor Bell has appointed the following, delegates to represent Vermont at the Eighth An-Congress to be held at El Paso, Texas, November 14-18, 1905: Prof., C. H. Perkins, Burlington; W. A. Lawrence, Bristol; Don Calusha, Proctor; A. C. Rice, Bennington; Col. H. E. Taylor, Brattleboro; J. C. Taylor, West Windsor; H. F. Wilcox, Thetford; W. H. Gilchrist, Mc Indoes Falls; O. G. Page, Barton Landing; L. W. Hastings, Concord; L. W. Cheney, Stowe; C. G. Austin, St. Albans; Dr. G. H. Branch, Grand Isle; Dean Perry, Barre. Each state is entitled to fifteen dele-

# ESCAPED FROM REFORM SCHOOL.

### Two Boys Make Their Way Out of the Institution at Vergennes.

School here about 6.30 o'clock Thursday evening. They are Benjamin Downing, of Starksboro, and Edward Lapoint, of Milton. Both are of dark complexion, are about five feet tall, and about 16 vears old. They were in the play room just after supper Thursday night and escaped by jumping out of the window. The authorities of the institution offer

# Got Charter 110 Years Ago.

to pay any persons that will return the

Burlington, Oct. 14 .- The 110th anni-

On October 13, 1795, the Grand Lodge in 1907. of Vermont, convened in Windsor, granted a charter to 12 brethren under the name of Washington Lodge, No. 7, of Montpelier.

No other organization in this city ex cept the university, chartered in 1791, (1895) Burlington had a population of

# Taggart Gets Divorce Decree. gart, U. S. A., was given a decree of di-vorce by the court here yesterday.

## OVER PRECIPICE WITH MEN. Terrible Accident During Gun Practice at Fort Riley, Kan.

IRVING DEAD

Junction City, Kans., Oct. 14.—Private Albert Laste of the 29th battery of field artillery, was killed during target practice at Fort Riley vesterday. Privates John Connelly and J. J. Simpson of the same battery, are thought to be fatully injured, while Privates Leary, Norman, Lancaster and Cline of the same organization are in a hospital with broken limbs and internal injuries. A large number of other artillerymen were hurt. The casualties were caused by frightened horses galloping over a precipice with riders and limbers.

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The accident occurred north of Fort Riley. The 29th battery is one of the six making up the provisional regiment of field artillery at target practice. The battery's guns had been placed and its eight limbers, loaded with ammunition, were at the rear with six horses hitched to each limber. The drivers had dis-mounted. When the battery was ready for firing a large red flag was run up on a staff as a signal to the range party at the targets to get out of range of

London, Oct. 14.—The English-speaking world has suffered an irreparable loss
by the sudden death last night of Sir
Henry Irving, who was universally regarded as the most representative Englist the largets to get out of tange of the guns.

The wind blew the flag out in the faces of the horses, and they stampeded at once. Some drivers succeeded in getting into saddle, others were dragged, but most of the drivers were left behind. The horses dashed over a small cliff and went down in a mass with

Sir Henry died literally in barness. He was giving a series of farewell performances in the English provinces and this week was playing an engagement at Bradford appearing in several favorite roles. Thursday he presented "King Rene's Daughter' and "The Bells," and appeared to be in excellent health, taking the exhausting parts of Matthias in the latter play with all vigor of youth. Last night before an enthusiastic audience he portrayed one of his most characteristically intellectual parts, the title role in his own stage adaption of Lord Tennyson's "Becket" with marked success.

After the performance Sir Henry returned to his hotel, reaching his rooms at 11.30 o'clock, when it was observed that he was in great pain. Physicians were immediately summoned but before they could arrive Sir Henry was seized by an attack of synope, and expired within a few minutes, without having uttered a word, in the presence of Bram Stoker, who had been his immediate manager for many years, and a few other intimates. The event caused the greatest pain and consternation among the members of the company.

Intended to Tour United States.

A letter from the office of Secretary Vogt brought information that Vermont has won her second 10 per cent increase, and another star for her banner. Ver-

mont's record now stands 23 per cent.

The address of the president was purposeful and convicting. After a short school of methods conducted by Mr. Shaw, the convention was brought to a close in a consecration service by Pastor Treat.

## WAS BORN IN BERLIN.

### Charles E. Huse, Windsor Merchant, Died Yesterday.

Windsor, Oct. 14.—Charles E. Huse, a successful busines man of this town, playing weeks, extending over a large part of the United States and was to terminate at the Knickerbocker Theatre in New York city. It was to be Mr., Irving's farswell appearance in America ble, aged 38 years. He was born in Berlin, but the opportunity to make the wanted the opportunity to make the wanted the opportunity to make and he wanted the opportunity to make his adieus to the American people. lin, Vt., and about 10 years ago formed a partnership with Carl W. Perkins in the grocery business under the firm name of Perkins & Huse. Mr. Huse has held several offices and at the time of his death was trustee of the village of Windsor. He leaves a wife, formerly Miss Charlotte Potter, Greenwich, N. roung daughter, a father and brother. The funeral will be held from his late has appointed the following, delegates residence Monday at two o'clock in the to represent Vermont at the Eighth An afternoon. The Masonic fraternity, mual convention of the American Mining Business Men's association and other bodies of which the deceased was asmen ber, will attend and it is expected that the stores and other business places will be closed during the funeral exercises.

# STOLE FOR EXCITEMENT.

## Joseph Benoit Will Live the Simple Life For Two Years.

Burlington, Oct. 14.—Apparently per-fectly obvious to the seriousness of the charge against him, Joseph Benoit, who was arrested for stealing a team which he hired from B. F. White, the liveryman, was before Judge Mower yesterday and whenever spoken to he smiled as though the affair were nothing more than a boyish prank. Benoit is in reality Vergennes, Oct. 14.—Two boys es- little more than a boy, his age being 21 caped from the Vermont State Industrial years, and his understanding of crime is evidently very limited.

# Junior O. U. A. M. Officers.

St. Johnsbury, Oct. 14.-Officers elec ted at the 11th annual session of the State Council of Vermont. Junior Order of United American Mechanics, yesterday were as follows:

State councilor, C. W. Coffran, Lyndonville; vice councilor, W. E. Giddings of Springfield; secretary, A. E. White, Montpelier; treasurer, C. E. King, Glover; commander, W. J. Smith, Sheffield; warden, L. G. Peabody, Newport Center; outside sentinel, Eli Eastman, Wheelock; versary of Washington Lodge, No. 3, outside sentinel, Eli Eastman, Wheelock; F. & A. M. was celebrated last night in chaplain, A. M. Lang, Lyndon: trustees, a pleasing and fitting manner. Over 150 J. I. Chesley, Sheffield, The Rev. A. F. members and guests gathered at the Walch of St. Johnsbury was elected Verlodge rooms to witness the exemplification of the Master Mason degree upon one of entertainment at the next meeting of the grand council, to be held in Boston

# Next Week in Montpelier.

Several events of more than ordinary antedates Washington Lodge. Vermont interest are scheduled to take place in had been admitted to the Union but four rears. It is estimated that at that date (1805) Burlington had a population of will be held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at its rooms at the State House, the annual meeting of the Vermont Bible society occurs Wednesday afternoon at Taggart Gets Divorce Decree. the Y. M. C. A. building, and the 56th Wooster, Ohio, Oct. 14.—Captain Tag- annual meeting of the Vermont Teachers' association comes on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

# **AUTOS RACED** MILE A MINUTE

# 36 Minutes and Eight Seconds-

ly in the race.

One hundred thousand people were lined up this morning when the nineteen autos, representing the United States, Germany, France and Italy started on the 283 mile course. The race was ten times around a somewhat difficult track, 283,2 miles have The first starter was making the hospital a success and to follow more power for the first starter was to make the post away at 6 o'clock, and was followed for the first starter was for the starter was for th

third in the race, slipped the gearing at a railroad crossing on the third round and withdrew.

# SHOOTING CLERK RELEASED.

## Sheldon Man Who Killed a Burglar, Not Held for Trial.

Sheldon, Oct. 14 .- The identity of the ourgiar, shot to death at an early hour yesterday morning, while in the act of robbing the store of the Jennison & Gallup company, is still shrouded in mystery. Eugene M. Tradeau, the clerk who slept in apartments above the store and who killed the burglar with a welldirected shot from his gun, was yesterday afternoon, after a formal examination, discharged from custody on the grounds of justifiable homicide.

Trudeau was arrested yesterday after-noon by Sheriff S. B. Thomas and taken before Justice George Stebbins for a hearing. The state was represented by State's Attorney Austin and the defend-ant was represented by I. N. Chase of Fairfield:

The accomplice of the dead man known to have been present by the foot prints about the building where the killng occurred, fled when he fatal shot was fired and although an alarm was sent out and officers have been on the watch for him since, he has not been

apprehended. There was evidence that a man had run away from the scene, probably frightened by the shooting. A man was seen with the burglar killed when the latter was in East Fairfield Tuesday This companion was about 30 years old five feet and ten or eleven inches tall, and weighed about 150 pounds. He wore a dark suit and a soft bat. His dark moustache was closely clipped.

Deputy Sheriff Sturtevant yesterday afterboon visited a barn near East Fair field and found that some one had spent the night there. The tracks about the barn were smaller than those of the dead man here, and confirm the theory of an accomplice.

# BARRE MEN INVENT.

### Machine for Lifting Pacakages from High Shelves.

A patent has been granted William Eager, P. A. Denno and David Pambrio of this city on an article for taking packages from the shelves in a store. It consists of a handle of the length desired, attached to which is a pair of fingers at one end and a lever at the other which by means of a wire and spring manipulates the fingers. It has such a strong grip that any sort of can or even five pound palls, and packages of all sorts are taken from the

top shelf as handily as you please.

The instrument is being made in a machine shop at Troy and samples may be seen at Sowden & Lyons'. the road soon with his invention.

# ENGULFED BY BIG SEA

Hemery Made 283 Miles in Four Hours, Vessel Ducked and Scooped Up Tremendous Wave, Which Swept the

Heath Was Second and

Lancia Third.

Steerage Deck—Vessel Reaches
New York.

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New York.

Of the two men now in control of this institution, Dr. Clemens is a graduate of the Almany Medical College, class of 1903, and has practiced in discoverible, N. Y., bits home city, until coming to Barre last May. While practicing in Gloversville, he was elected city and 120-borse power Panhard machine, was second, and Lancia, driving an 120-horse power First, was third. The winner's clapsed time over the 128 mile course was four hours, 36 minutes and eight seconds. Heath came pretty close to him with four hours, 39 minutes and 40 seconds.

The two first are French and the third fatalian. All three were four cylinder cars. The Americans' racers were scarce. Iv in the race.

At Ballard's steamship agency in this city no information has been received to day, and no Barre passengers were lated up this morning when the nineteen autos, representing the United States, Germany, France and Italy started on the 283 mile course. The race was ten mineteen autos, representing the United States, Germany, France and Italy started on the 283 mile course. The race was ten mineteen autos, representing the United States, Germany, France and Italy started on the 283 mile course. The race was ten mineteen autos, representing the United States, Germany, France and Italy started on the 283 mile course. The race was ten mineteen autos, representing the United States, Germany, France and Italy started on the 283 mile course. The race was ten mineteen autos, representing the United States, Germany, France and Italy started on the 283 mile course.

An ENJOYABLE EVENING.

# CONTAINS 45 CASES.

### Docket of Next Term of Supreme Court of Vermont.

Montpelier, Oct. 14 .- The trial calendar for the general term of supreme court which convenes here Tuesday, Oct. 24, contains 45 cases set for hearing indicating a term of at-least three weeks

The assignment by counties is as follows: Caledonia county, 9; Windsor, 8; Granite Co., in this city for the past fif-Lamoille I; Franklin, 4; Bennington, 1; Orleans, 1; Windham, 4; Orange, 4; Addison 1; Chittenden 5, Washington 6.

Hollister Jackson, to determine whether State's Attorney Jackson, the defendant, to hear of his departure from the city is a citizen of the state of Vermont and with which he has been so long connect of the United States of America.

Caledonia county cases come first on be trial calendar. The first set for bearing is M. A. Lewis vs. John Crane

# Adjournment of County Court.

Montpelier, Oct. 14.-Washington county court adjourned today after be ing in session 39 days.

In the case of State vs. Clementine Bianchi of Montpelier, furnishing, th respondent, who is ill, through Carleton, her attorney, pleaded guilty to two offenses. The case was continued for sentence.

A nolle prossequi was entered in the case of State vs. Slayton, breach of the peace, a comparison case to the one in which a verdict of not guilty was ordered vesterday morning. In the case of State vs. Atkins, breach

of the peace, in which State's Attorney Jackson was disqualified and which was in charge of Attorney General Fitts, a nolle prossequi was entered on recom-mendation of the attorney general.

A demurrer was filed in the case of Barney McManus of Waterbury and it will go to the supreme court. The spondent is charged with forgery changing a physician's prescription for

In the divorce case of Hurley vs. Hurey, David Hurley was ordered to pay \$93 arrears in alimony or stand in con tempt of court.

The divorce case of George E. Carley

s. Ella E. Carley was heard yesterday afternoon, and a bill was granted for willful desertion. The parties reside in Marshfield.

# Collins Fund Complete.

Boston, Oct. 14.—A cable message was received yesterday from Sir Thomas Lip-ton asking that his name might be added to the subscribers to the fund of \$25,-Thomas contributes \$250.

# IMPROVEMENTS AT **EMERGENCY HOSPITAL**

## Under New Management It Is Filling a Need of the City-Two Physicians Now in Charge Have Had Valuable Experience.

In the short space of time since the Barre Emergency hospital came under the management of Drs. Miller and

the management of Drs. Miller and Clemens, great changes for the better have been noted, and the public is coming to be more and more interested in the success of this institution.

No city in the state is in greater need of a good hospital than Barre. It is the purpose of Drs. Miller and Clemens to have the hospital so equipped and conducted that every citizen may be proud that they have such an institution in the community and can give it their support.

AGED NEARLY 97 YEARS

Sarah Prentiss Ayers, Mother of Mrs.

W. A. Perry, Was Hale and Hearty

Up to Last Tuesday When She

and only comparatively slight bruises were made in his scalp and neck, although how he escaped more serious injury is a mystery.

# IS TO LEAVE BARRE.

## Fred B. Mudgett to Manage Flint Granite Company, Albany N. Y.

Fred B. Mudgett, superintendent of teen and a half years, has resigned his position, to take effect tonight. Mr. ddison 1; Chittenden 5, Washington 6. Mudgett resigns to take the position of general superintendent of the Flint Gran-No cases of state interest are on the ite Co., at Albany, N. Y., with offices in trial docket with the exception of one New York city, Schenectady, and Utica, from Washington county, State of Vermont, ex. rel, Charles A. Phelps vs. S. this state, and Chester, Mass. Mr. Mudgett's many friends in Barre will regre ed and in which he has been so promi-

> The Harrison Granite company has secured T. W. Russell and Rowe Morrison to take charge of their local interests. The former has been in their employ, in a responsible position, for some time, and the latter recently resigned his position with Drew Daniels, Waterbury granite dealer.

nent a figure.

# MRS. ORRIN C. DALEY.

### Well Known Montpelier Woman Died Early This Morning.

## Mrs. Orrin C. Daley of Montpelier, nunt of Mrs. W. C. Jones and Walter Emerson of this city, died this morning at three o'clock, at her home at 175 Main street, Montpelier. Mrs. Daley had lived in Montpelier almost all her

having been a sufferer from a nervous disease. Besides her husband, Mrs. Daley leaves one son, Allen, of White River Junction, and one sister, Mrs. Coleman, who is the only survivor of a family of nine children. The funeral will be held from her late

home at 175 Main street at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. The officiating pas-tor will probably be the Rev. W. B. Dukeshire of the Montpeller Methodist church, of which she was almost a lifelong member.

# Y. M. C. A. Secretary Resigns.

St. Johnsbury, Oct. 14.-W. S. Dillon has resigned as secretary of the Y. M. C. A. to accept a similar position in association work at Keene, N. H. Mr. Dillon has been here fore about two and one-half years, and has made a most e seen at Sowden & Lyons'.

O00 being raised for a memorial to the efficient, popular secretary. He begins Mr. Eager expects to put a man on late Patrick Collins of Boston. Sir his labors with the Keene association November 1.

# HARDLY KNEW A SICK DAY

# Barre's Oldest Resident Died Early Today

Contracted a Cold.

Mrs. Sarah Prentiss Ayers, the oldest resident of Barre, died very suddenly at three o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Perry of Perry Place. Mrs. Ayers would have been 97 years of age next February She had never known what it was to be

all the afternoon. She caught a slight cold, but it was not severe and she was so well last Tuesday that Mr. and Mrs. Perry went to Boston. They were notified Thursday evening that Mrs. Ayers was worse and they returned to Barre yesterday. Mrs. Ayers knew her daughter when she arrived home, but lapsed into unconsciousness soon afterward, from into unconsciousness soonafterward, from which she could not be roused. She remained in that state until the end came

THOMAS KESSON'S FUNERAL.

## Large Number of Friends Were in Attendance. The funeral of Thomas Kesson, Sr., was held from his late home on James

street this afternoon at two o'clock. Delegations from the Free Masons and Foresters of America attended the services, as well as many friends outside the fraternal societies. The officiating elergyman was Rev. Francis A. Poole and the hearers were John Milton, Alex-ander Hadden, and John Chesser from the Free Masons, and William Scott, Bennett Julian and George Stuart from the Forester of America. The interment was in the family lot at Hope ceme-

tery.

Miss Phillips sang "Lead, Kindly Light," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee," accompanied by Miss Mary Walker.

The floral offerings, which were very beautiful, were as follows: Wreath, the family; pillow, Mr, and Mrs. Thomas Kesson, Jr.; wreath, Old Aberdeen Lodge, 164, F. & A. M.; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. D. Dawson; cross, Mr. and Mrs. William Kesson and sons; wreath, oresters of America; base, with wreath, Mrs. Hermon, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Rac. Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Carle, Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. McDonald and Andrew McKay: wreath, J. D. Ossola; carnations and ferns, Ladies of Clan Gordon; Mr. and Mrs. William Alexander, C. Bianchi; A. Comolli; Mrs. Margaret Daniels; Mr. and Mrs. William Black; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Emslie: Mrs. C. Rogers; Williamina Kesson; Thomasina Kesson; Mr. and Mrs. John Chesser; Miss Christina Me-Kenzie; Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam Charles; carnations and roses, Margaret Guevin; Barrett McKay; roses and terns, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Innis; Poses, carnations and ferns, Mrs. William Emslie life of 68 years. Mr. and Mrs. Daley had recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. Mr. Daley had been in poor health for several years. and Mrs. C. Coutts; Mr. and Mrs. E. and family; roses and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hamel; carnations, roses Riddle; Mr. and Mrs. William Scott; Miss Nellie McKee; George Johnson; carnations and smilax, pupils and teach-er of the seventh grade of the public schools: bouquet sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson; carnations and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith; car-nations and ferns, Mrs. John Miller...

# WILLIAMSTOWN.

Rev. F. A. Kimball came here Thu sday to attend to carring her goods, which were stored here, to Richmond, V , where she has rented a house. Her father and mother will go to Richmond soon

to live with her. Mr. and Mrs. Van McAllister went to Northfield yesterday to visit Wilson Tyler's family, Mr. McAllister's brother-

A. R. Martin has returned from Fos-ton and Mrs. Martin returned from Montpelier yesterday.